

What is Title I?

Title I is a federally funded program designed to provide services to meet the educational needs of students who are at risk of not meeting the National Common Core Standards in English Language Arts and Mathematics. All Title I services are supplemental to regular classroom instruction and school curriculum.

Title 1 at WES

- ▮ Targeted Assistance Program - Title 1 funds are targeted to support specific needs and programming
- ▮ Early Learning Program
- ▮ Summer Jump Start for incoming kindergarteners
- ▮ In the past: Summer Tutoring Program for K-5 students

Parents are an essential part of the team that supports your child in the school setting as you know your child best!

Parents help by:

- Showing your child the importance of education.
- Volunteering in your child's classroom or within the school.
- Share information about your child's interests and abilities with teachers.
- Help decide if services funded by Title I are meeting your child's needs, and offer suggestions for improvement.
 - Please take the survey at the end of this meeting to provide some input.

Title I Web Page

Visit WES' web page, hdsd.org, select Washington Elementary School to access information regarding School Compact, Needs Assessment, Parent/Family Involvement in Education and Title I Brochure.



1. Go to the school web page (www.hdsd.org)
2. On the right hand side of the screen under Quick Links click on Title I
3. Explore our site

The “Do You Know” Game

“Understanding one’s family history is important for a child to develop a strong identity and sense of well-being.”

-The Family Dinner

Families, toss a few of these questions out during dinner. Share memories and stories about yourself and your family.

Some examples include:

- ▢ *Do you know how your parents met?*
- ▢ *Do you know where your parents grew up?*
- ▢ *Do you know how your grandparents met?*
- ▢ *Do you know what was going on in the world when you were born?*
- ▢ *Do you know the source of your name?*

How to Support Your Learners Over the Summer

- Read to and with them
 - Ask questions like, “What do you think will happen next?”, “Who are the characters in the story?”, “How do you think _____ feels?”
 - Have them use the pictures to help them answer questions.
- Bring them grocery shopping and identify numbers in the prices
- Play hopscotch
- Play board games like Candy Land or Chutes and Ladders to practice counting
- Use chalk to practice writing letters and numbers outside
- Sing Nursery Rhymes together
- Participate in the Waterford Upstart program

Waterford Upstart Program

Waterford Upstart is a new opportunity presented by The New Hampshire Department of Education. It is an at-home, early learning program that provides positive, parent-child interaction while delivering personalized, online instruction to develop early reading skills. Through a partnership with the New Hampshire Department of Education this program is free to all children entering kindergarten in the fall of 2022 and 2023.

You can find more information by calling 1-888-982-9898 or visiting [WaterfordUpstart.org](https://www.waterford.org)

Clicking this link will take you directly to the registration link for this summer: <https://www.waterford.org/newhampshire/>

Summer Jump Start Program

Summer 2022 open to incoming kindergarten students and incoming first grade students based on need.

Mondays through Thursdays, July 25th-August 11th from 8:30am-1:00pm

The program will have a focus on fostering early skills through outdoor exploration, nature hikes, water activities, and early academic preparation for the beginning of kindergarten and/or first grade.

Forms are available to sign up today!

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Questions?

Concerns?

Ideas?

Thoughts?

Compliments?

Please contact Kelli Colarusso, Teaching Principal
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Survey -

<https://forms.gle/hizKbYpXnpe5Kkui9>